

Third-term NPDES Phase 1 municipal storm water permit

New program goals – reprioritize, measurable goals, mitigate new development impact

1. Additional new development mitigation criteria
 - a. Reduced size limit based on land use
 - b. Focus on Low Impact Development
 - c. Prioritize to target pollutants of concern
 - d. Tracking and maintenance criteria
2. Hydromodification Controls
 - a. Interim and final plan
3. Illicit discharge
 - a. Tracking of complaints/responses
 - b. Planning for low threat discharges
4. Permit boundary
 - a. County-wide
 - b. Flexibility based on storm water risks (rural vs urban)
5. Inspection tools
 - a. Specific BMPs to expect at industrial sites (including construction)
 - b. Focus on rainy season construction

MEP programs not included

1. Numerical limits
2. Early TMDL load reductions for sediment, nutrients, pathogens
3. Trash reductions (LA and SF permits)
4. Nurdle and other plastics control (State Board)